Preparatory Committee for the 2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons

17 March 2008

English only

Second session
Geneva, 28 April-9 May 2008

Indicative timetable

Monday, 28 April

10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Opening of the session (item 1 of the agenda) General debate (item 4)
3:00 pm – 6:00 pm	General debate (item 4)

Tuesday, 29 April

10:00 am – 1:00 pm	General debate (item 4)
3:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Statements by NGOs (item 5)

Wednesday, 30 April

10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Preparatory work for the review of the operation of the Treaty in accordance with article VIII, paragraph 3, of the Treaty, in particular, consideration of principles, objectives and ways to promote the full implementation of the Treaty, as well as its universality, including specific matters of substance related to the implementation of the Treaty and Decisions 1 and 2, as well as the resolution on the Middle East, adopted in 1995, and the outcomes of the 1975, 1985, 2000, and 2005 Review Conferences, including developments affecting operation and purpose of the Treaty, and thereby considering approaches and measures to realize its purpose, reaffirming the need for full compliance with the Treaty (item 6)*

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Thursday, 1 May

UN and public holiday

Friday, 2 May

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-**Specific issue** - Nuclear disarmament and security assurances

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-**Cluster 2 issues** (NPT/CONF.2005/DEC.1, issues under point 2: implementation of the provisions of the Treaty relating to non-proliferation of nuclear weapons, safeguards and nuclear-weapon-free zones: Article III and preambular paragraphs 4 and 5, especially in their relationship to article IV and preambular paragraphs 6 and 7; articles I and II and preambular paragraphs 1 to 3 in their relationship to articles III and IV; article VII).

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-**Cluster 3 issues** (NPT/CONF.2005/DEC.1, items under point 3: implementation of the provisions of the Treaty relating to the inalienable right of all Parties to the Treaty to develop research, production and use of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes, without discrimination and in conformity with articles I and II: Articles III (3) and IV, preambular paragraphs 6 and 7, especially in their relationship to article III (1), (2), (4) and preambular paragraphs 4 and 5, and article V, other provisions of the Treaty).

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Thursday, 8 May

10:00 am – 1:00 pm

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Friday, 9 May

10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Organization of the work of the Preparatory Committee (item 7)
	Organization of the 2010 Review Conference (item 9)
	Consideration of the draft report of the Preparatory Committee (item 8)
3:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Consideration and adoption of the draft report of the Preparatory Committee (item 8)
	Any other matters (item 11)

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